

SA715207

Antique Salt-Bag, Baluch Nomads, Western Afghanistan.

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA715207

Date of manufacture: 1900

Dimensions

Height = 54 cm (21.3")

Width = 36 cm (14.2")

Description

This visually attractive salt-bag (namakdan) was woven by Baluch nomads on the border of western Afghanistan and eastern Persia circa 1900. Once used for containing rock-salt, the bag is in very good complete condition with only some minor staining on the plain-weave back. I love the simplicity of the zig-zag design - possibly symbolically representing flowing water. Size: 54cm x 36cm (1' 9" x 1' 2").

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